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TELEGRAPHIC.

WINNIPEG, March 16.

Americans won the international chess match.

Perrine's comet won't hit the earth this trip.

John O'Neil cut his throat at Brandon on Saturday.

The "Banco King" has been sent to prison in France for life.

Joe. Martin, M. P. for Winnipeg, announces his intention of retiring from politics.

Nicaraguan and Cuban rebels are meeting with many reverses.

Participants in the Sicilian disturbances of three years ago have been pardoned.

Eight thousand British Egyptian troops are to be despatched up the Nile to occupy Dongola.

Commandant Herbert Booth, head of the Salvation army in Canada, is to give up his command on June 1st.

Ballington Booth's new religious organization is to be named "God's American Volunteer." A suitable standard has been decided on.

TO-DAY'S TRAIN.

CALGARY, March 16.

Five cars wheat for Ritchie South Edmonton, one car flour for Allen South Edmonton, one car merchandise for various parties.

LOCAL.

Trains left Calgary on time.

Eggs plentiful at 12½ to 15¢. Butter 15¢ to 18¢.

W. J. WRIGHT, trader of Lac la Poudre, is in town.

Rev. A. FORTES preached in the Presbyterian church yesterday morning.

D. W. McCONNELL's new building is making good progress. F.A. Osborne contractor.

O. LEBLANC and J. OWENS, of Beaver lake, south were in town this week. They came across the hills.

W. T. HENRY & Co. are enlarging their premises in the Bonanza block to make room for increasing business.

Several inches of soft snow fell last night greatly improving the sleighing which was getting very bad in town.

EDMONTON will have about 60 bicyclists during the coming summer, and probably two if not three bicycle clubs.

As early closing movement is on foot in town. The proposed hour of closing is 6:30. A majority of the merchants are said to favor the idea.

The Edmonton District railway and improvement bill was reported from the railway committee of the house of Commons on the 10th.

The Hudson's Bay Company's March sales commenced this morning in London. They last four days. London's sales commence this afternoon and last two weeks.

CHICKEN pox is prevalent in town. Although this is not a dangerous complaint under ordinary circumstances, every means should be used to prevent it from spreading.

MR. ROONEY, who lives on the Indian reserve near South Edmonton, had his left leg broken at the ankle by a fall on the ice on Friday night at the skating carnival in South Edmonton.

SOCIAL and supper on St. Patrick's day in aid of the building fund of the new St. Joachim's church. To take place in the old All Saints' church building commencing at 8 p.m. Edmonton brass band in attendance.

THOS. ANDERSON, late Dominion lands agent at Edmonton, returned on Thursday's train from a visit to Ottawa, Montreal and Point L'Evêque, opposite Quebec, his former home. He also visited Winnipeg, Virden and Calgary.

A SOCIAL was given by Mrs. Toll, of South Edmonton in the Methodist church there on Friday night, in support of the ladies and society of that church. Tea was served at the conclusion of the carnival and attracted a number of the merry-makers.

THE BULLETIN begs to acknowledge with thanks the receipt of a sample copy of the publications of C. Gallagher, the same being in the shape of a large and well flavored smoked ham. It should be difficult to overstock the market with such goods.

S. S. TAYLOR returned on Thursday's train from Ottawa, where he appeared before the supreme court in the cases of Dinwiddie vs. Humberstone and Jellett vs. Wilkie. From Ottawa he visited his former home in St. John's N. B., before returning to Edmonton. What was in Ottawa the bridge matter seemed to be progressing favorably. Political matters are in a state of very great uncertainty, and this causes uncertainty in all matters connected with them.

The congregation of St. Joachim's church are taking steps towards the erection of a new church, the present one is much overcrowded and besides will have to be removed from its present site during the coming summer to make room for the building to be erected by the Sisters Faithful Companions of Jesus. The proposed site is close to the residence of the Rev. Fathers O. M. L. The idea is to erect a brick building large enough for present needs at a cost of perhaps \$5,000 which will form part of a cathedral to be erected at some future time suitable to the importance of the diocese of St. Albert. Good progress has been made so far in getting the necessary subscriptions.

A MEETING of the Provincial autonomy committee was held in Edmonton and South Edmonton on Thursday evening, aided by telephone connection. The Edmonton meeting was held in C. M. Woodworth's office. It was decided to secure the printing for circulation of 100 copies of petition as drafted by the Edmonton committee, 50 to the Commons and 50 to the Senate. It was agreed that it was desirable to hold a convention for Northern Alberta before the Calgary convention for the purpose of unifying Northern ideas regarding the proposed bill of rights. An opinion was expressed that the Calgary convention should be composed of representatives appointed in proportion to the population of the several electoral districts.

FUR trade is dull, only small lots coming in.

J. WALSH left on last train on a fur buying trip.

O. H. BUSH has purchased the millinery stock of Mrs. Bush, who recently assigned.

Mrs. F. D. FORTES and child left for San Francisco on Friday's train. Mrs. Fortes goes to join her husband there.

C. W. J. HAWORTH, veterinary surgeon and dentist, writes that he will be in Edmonton to resume his practice on or about the 22nd of March.

JAS. McKEENAN's sawing outfit was taken from Stony Plain to Agricola to commence sawing there on Friday. W. Walker's steam power, on Monday.

EDMONTON ST. Andrew's Society held a very successful monthly meeting in the council chamber on Friday evening. Programme in next issue.

Friday's train took out 1 car cattle for Golden, Calgary; 1 car cattle from Brackman & Ker, to Nelson, B. C.; 1 car oats to Nelson, B. C., from J. J. Doggan; 2 way cars.

The proposition of the British Columbia government to levy a tax on mines is meeting with great opposition in the Kootenay district. The tax mines is too near an approach to strangling production to be good policy.

F. H. ANDREWS left on Friday for San Francisco, to go from there to Melbourne, Australia. Before leaving he was presented with a purse of \$50 by the congregation of All Saints church in recognition of his services as organist.

FUR SALES.—W. J. Wright \$146 lot; E. Brosseau \$55 lot; J. Grabata \$87 lot to H. B. Co. A. Morrison, a lot to J. Reiplinger; H. Sigler \$26, to W. B. Stennett; J. Brewster \$69 lot to H. B. Co. Small lots to W. B. Stennett \$20.

Rev. JOHN McDONALD, chairman of the Indian mission district of Saskatchewan in the Methodist church, arrived on Thursday on a tour of inspection and left for Victoria accompanied by Mr. J. A. Dean, of that place, on Friday.

The Ottawa correspondent of the Free Press indicates the possible elevation of Senator Perley to the cabinet as the representative of the Northwest. This is quite a compliment to the representatives of the Northwest in the Commons.

The service of song in the Presbyterian church last evening was largely attended. W. Johnstone Walker conducted the religious exercises. The programme as announced was rendered by the choir in excellent style. The large attendance at these services shows that the efforts of the choir are appreciated.

The Rev. Sisters Faithful Companions of Jesus, (a teaching order) who have an establishment in connection with St. Joachim's mission, propose to erect a large brick building during the coming summer. The plans are already arrived. The building will occupy the site of the present St. Joachim's church.

A COURT of the Ancient order of Foresters has been organized in Edmonton to be called Court Beaver House. The officers are: W. B. Stennett, C. R. T. G. Lander, P. C. R. J. W. Kelly, secretary; H. A. Aldridge, treasurer; T. B. Folliott, S. W. J. R. Umbach, J. W. J. H. Kelly, S. B.; H. Hooley, J. B. A court of the same order has also been organized in South Edmonton.

FUR SALES.

At the H. B. Co. London fur sales to-day offer sold 10 per cent higher than in March of '95. Fisher same as in March '95. Cross and silver fox 30 per cent. lower than March '95.

At Lampton's sales cross foxes also sold 30 per cent. lower than last March.

TOWN COUNCIL.

A special meeting of the town council was held on Saturday evening to consider a telegram received from Mayor Wilson now at Ottawa regarding aid to be granted by the town to the proposed railway and traffic bridge.

Kelly-Bellamy moved that this council is unanimous and guarantees amount over \$60,000 for combined bridge as requested in the mayor's telegram of 13th inst.

The following telegram was sent at 8.30 p.m. on March 14th, 1896:

Town will guarantee amount for combined bridge over \$60,000. Resolution follows on Monday.

(Sgd) M. McCauley, Acting Mayor.

CURLING.

Match for president's prizes.

FIRST ROUND.

McQueen 11—McKay 8.
St. John 13—Looby 11.
McDonald 16—Lander 10.
Taylor 10—Vance 8.

SECOND ROUND.

Snyder 15—McQueen 1.
McDonald 17—Taylor 4.

FINALS TO BE PLAYED TO-DAY.

Snyder—McDonald.
In the St. Patrick's day match to take place to-morrow, Messrs. Snyder and Looby champion the Irish and Messrs. Lander and Taylor the Scotch.

SUPREME COURT.

Hay vs. McDonald. Action for wages. Judgment for plaintiff Woodworth for plaintiff. Short for defendant.

Hulton vs. Stewart. Action on account. Judgment for plaintiff. McNamara for plaintiff. Woodworth for defendant.

St. Jean vs. Parrish. Garnishee issued. Plaintiff's evidence was taken here. The case to be concluded in Calgary.

McKenzie vs. Holmes. Judgment for plaintiff by consent for \$6.50 without costs. McKenzie for plaintiff, Beck, Q. C. for defendant.

Wilson vs. Hall et al. Action for wages. Defendant's advocate withdrew from the case before trial. Judgment for plaintiff for \$847 and costs. Bown for plaintiff.

Dorais vs. Hett. Action on account.

DEATH.

The body of the late George Gagnon, 16, eldest son of Geo. Gagnon of St. Albert road, was brought to St. Albert on Thursday last by D. E. Noyes and handed over to the police detachment there. The body was brought to Edmonton on Friday by Sgt. Hetherington and party, who went out from Lake St. Ann to bring it in.

A post mortem examination was held on Saturday night by Dr. Harrison, who decided that death had resulted from exhaustion and lack of nourishment, and that there was nothing to require the holding of an inquest. The body was removed to the residence of the father of deceased on Saturday night. The funeral takes place to-day to St. Albert cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. Gagnon have the sympathy of the community in the loss of their eldest son under such circumstances. He was a young man in his 19th year, strong and healthy, and used to winter travelling, which made his death the more unexpected.

SCHOOL MEETING.

A special meeting of the Edmonton school board was held on Saturday evening to consider the petition which had been presented to have music taught in the school. All members present.

K. W. McKenzie, principal of the school, to whom the matter had been referred, was present and reported verbally that to take up the study of music in the two upper departments of the school would tend against the successful passing of the June examinations upon the result of which the government grants to the school for the succeeding year would be based, particularly at so short a time before those examinations. He would rather commence teaching music immediately after those examinations and drop it when this time of year was reached. He saw no reason why music should not be taught in the junior departments now or at any other time.

A communication was read from Miss Rogers withdrawing her application for engagement as teacher of music in the school. McCauley-Bellamy, moved that having heard Mr. McKenzie's report and owing to press of work in the two upper rooms it is impossible for the board to grant the prayer of the petition for the teaching of music in these rooms.—Carried.

McCauley-McElrath moved that this board instruct the principal to have music placed upon the time table of the two lower rooms, to be taught one-half hour each day, according to the programme of studies. Carried.

McCauley-Bellamy moved that on and after the first of April the junior as well as the senior departments open at 9 o'clock.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

TEACHER WANTED.

For Stony Plain School District, holding a second or third class certificate. Duties to commence on the 15th of April. Apply, stating salary required, to: GEX. SUTHERLAND, Sec-Treas., Spruce Grove P.O.

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LOST.

On March 11th, somewhere between Edmonton and Mr. J. J. Ferguson's, a light brown gelding with hood lined with brown satin. The finder will be suitably rewarded, by leaving same at Bulletin office. 40-45

NOTICE.

Taxes! Taxes!

All taxes unpaid on the 10th April will be collected as by law required, with costs.

ST. GEO. JELLETT, Collector.

Millinery

O. H. BUSH.

NOT BUT CHEAP GOODS GOODS CHEAP.

There are no doubts about anything you get at the Post Office Drug Store. I don't deal in doubtful drugs. All I ask is that you pay cash, and I will save you a penny or two.

SULPHUR, 10c. per pound. FLAXSEED, 10c. per pound.
EPSOM SALTS, 10c. per pound. LINSEED MEAL, 10c. per pound.
ALUM, 10c. per pound. BLUESTONE, 10c. per pound.
or 3 Pounds for 25 cents.

Wood Tooth Picks 3 Boxes for 25 cents.

.. FOR CASH ..

G. H. GRAYDON, - EDMONTON.

. Selling . Shoes .

That's part of our business, and we intend to keep right on selling Shoes. No postponement on account of weather.

If you have trouble in getting the shoe you want, in just the size you want, at just the price you want, come right here. We have them. Our stock is now complete.

For wet weather get a pair of our Diana or Pearl Rubbers.

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Spring is Coming

PREPARE FOR WORK.

Garden Tools,

Blue Stone,

Coal Oil.

CHEAP AND GOOD.

Auditors' Report

Of the Municipality of the Town of Edmonton, 1895.

Edmonton Hardware Co.

Notice is hereby given that the Auditors' Report is completed and may be seen at the Clerk's office during office hours by any ratepayer.

A. G. RANDALL, Town Clerk.

Public Meeting!

RE LIBRARY.

Public meeting will be held in the Council Chamber on Friday, the 20th inst., for the purpose of discussing ways and means for the opening and establishing of a Public Library.

All interested are requested to attend. Commencing at 8 o'clock p.m.

A. G. RANDALL, Town Clerk.

School Debentures

BOUGHT.

The Trustees of the Sinking Fund of the Town of Edmonton are prepared to purchase School Debentures of any amount or terms of payment. Apply by letter or personally to

A. G. RANDALL, Town Clerk.

Auditor Wanted

TOWN OF EDMONTON.

Applications will be received by the undersigned until noon on Tuesday, the 24th inst., for the position of Auditor of the Municipality. Audit to be made monthly. Salary, \$5.00 per month.

A. C. RANDALL, Town Clerk.

For Sale by Tender

Stock of John Cameron, of Edmonton, Alberta, consisting of

Dry Goods.....\$3773 49
Ready-Made Clothing.....1540 89
Men's Furnishings.....1230 52
Hats and Caps.....271 16
Furs.....144 49
Boots and Shoes.....1355 01
Mits and Moccasins.....631 18
Groceries.....750 13
Crockery.....827 21
Glassware.....184 95
Sundries, Butter, Cakes, Jars, etc.....279 89
Grain.....227 11
Shop Furniture.....475 67
\$12291 63

Book Accounts.....\$ 6408 56

The stock is clean, fresh and well kept and may be seen on the premises in Edmonton. The inventory may be seen at the office of the Auditor.

Tenders for the stock on bid or in parcels, addressed to the undersigned, will be opened at noon on March 21st, 1896.

Terms cash. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

T. A. STEPHEN, Assignee, EDMONTON, ALBERTA.

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Life will be a continual round of pleasures.

Ladies', Gents' and Tandem Wheels.

New York, Lavender, Morgan & Wright,

Flexifort or Single Tube Tires.

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General Agent Edmonton and District.

The Comet Cycle Co.

Toronto.

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SEED GRAIN.

The notice of the government's in-
tention to purchase 50,000 bushels of
seed grain for distribution in Northern
Alberta is of more than ordinary in-
terest to the public here. Not only be-
cause the grain is to be distributed in
this region, but because there is a
chance of a large part of it being pur-
chased here as well. All that the
farmers or dealers here ask in this mat-
ter is fair play and on its face the notice
looks like fair play all around. If Ed-
monton men cannot supply the grain of
as good quality and as cheaply as any-
one else the government would be
justified in procuring it elsewhere.
Evidently the government has no in-
tention of going in for fancy varieties
or special qualities of seed, but they
want good sound clean grain. It is a
well known fact that a great deal of
the good seed grain of this district is
still in farmers' hands, and it was hoped
that the government would see fit to
arrange matters so that this grain could
be supplied direct to the government.
Clearly it is not intended that this
shall be done. The requirement
that all quantities under a car lot must
be sacked, while car loads may be
furnished in bulk is directly against
the local farmer, generally having less
than a car lot, who, if he tendered would
be put to the extra expense of sacking
as against his eastern competitor who
is allowed to deliver in bulk. And it
is hard to see why it is not necessary to
have all the grain sacked, for the sake
of convenience in delivery to the parties
requiring it. The Edmonton tender
also included St. Albert and no dis-
tinction is made between delivery on
the north or south side of the river.
The eastern dealer would find it a great
hardship if when tendering for delivery
at Edmonton he were compelled to haul
across the river from the station. Just
so the north side farmer or dealer
tendering would feel it to be a hard-
ship to have to deliver at the railway
station grain that would be required
north of the river. For besides the
cost and difficulty of the haul across is
the further difficulty connected with
the crossing of the river at a time when
it may be impossible to cross. The
bulk of the relief grain asked for north
of the river will go to St. Albert, and
it seems strange indeed that there
should not be a St. Albert delivery as
well as one for Fort Saskatchewan,
especially as the St. Albert delivery is
much the larger, and there is every
possibility that at least the oats could
be supplied right at St. Albert. As to
wheat, as Mr. Ritchie pointed out in
his letter of last issue, there is little or
no seed wheat to be had in the district,
and there is probably not enough
barley, but there is certainly abundance
of oats, and every fair opportunity
should be given the local farmer to
supply the demand.

Above everything, however, whether
the seed is supplied from Edmonton or
elsewhere, it should be sound and clean.
Particular care is necessary in the case
of oats. It is a settled fact that
oats may to all appearances be per-
fectly sound and good and yet be damaged
by frost so that they will not grow. This
certainly is not the case with wheat,
which will grow when showings signs of
severe frost. But it being the case
with oats it is something that requires
the sharpest attention. The surest test
is to plant samples of the oats in boxes
in the house. A few days is sufficient
to make the test and it should be made
with all care by everyone who proposes
to sow oats during the coming season
as well as those tendering on the seed
contracts and the government which is
purchasing the seed.

THE BULLETIN has received the pros-
pectus of the South Alberta mutual
partnership of industry association. This
is to be an association of laboring

people of both sexes, and the object is
to acquire land, to build houses, fac-
tories, workshops and stores in village
communities. * * * the building
of a common school and church—the
school for the teaching of pure secular
knowledge and the church for the use
of Christians able to sink all difference
of creed. The limit of shares and
liability of any member is \$1,000. The
whole of the property acquired to be
the property of the members in equal
proportions, and to be under the man-
agement of directors. The member-
ship will receive certificates for labor
done or services rendered on an equal
basis. The certificates will be accepted
for goods out of the common store, for
the occupation of houses or the pay-
ing for shares. It is expected that land
will be got from the interior department
for the purpose. It will be life, fire,
accident and work assurance all com-
bined. The secretary is Thos. Farrar,
Lethbridge. The scheme is good in
theory and is evidently modeled on the
system of the Mormon church, with
the religious features left out. It is to
be feared that this is a fatal defect. For
nothing short of the stress of religious
enthusiasm will make people forego their
inborn desire to assert their individual-
ity, as they must in becoming members
of a community such as the proposed
society.

The Kootenay district of British
Columbia is booming and there is a
rush there now with a prospect of a still
greater rush in the spring. It is just
possible that this rush business may
be overdone. That the Kootenay dis-
trict is one of the richest mining regions
in the world admits of no doubt, but its
wealth can only be unlocked by the
employment of very large capital. The
investment of the capital is what
causes the employment of labor. What
the Kootenay needs just now is not
more labor but more capital to be in-
vested in actual development work, so
that the demand for labor will be in-
creased. At present there are far more
laboring men in the Kootenay than
there is work for and while hundreds
are working, other hundreds cannot
get work. This is a feature of
the case that men intending to go there
to look for work would do well to con-
sider. The Kootenay is being adver-
tised as a field for the investment of
capital. It is capital, not labor, that it
is desired to attract. Development has
not yet reached a pitch which makes
the employment of an unlimited amount
of labor possible. It is reported that at
the present time a great deal of the
actual working is shut down for fear of
spring snowdrifts, which will cause a large
number of men than usual to be out
of employment for the next month or
two.

LAURIER'S SPEECH.

The following is the concluding portion of
Laurier's speech against the second reading
of the remedial bill. He had dealt fully
and exhaustively with every feature of
the bill and with the general questions which it
involved, in the light of history, of the con-
stitution and of reason. He then entered
into the following personal explanation: We
cannot forget at this moment that the
policy which I have advocated and main-
tained all along has not been favorably
received in all quarters. Not many weeks
ago I was told from high quarters in the
church to which I belong that unless I sup-
ported the school bill, which was then being
prepared by the government and which we
have now before us, I would incur the
hostility of a great and powerful body.
Sir, this is too grave a phase of this question
for me to pass it by in silence. I have only
this to say: Even though I have threats
held over me coming from high dignitaries
in the church to which I belong, no word of
bitterness shall ever pass my lips against
that church. I respect and I love it; but,
sir, I am not of that school which has been
long dominant in France and other countries
of continental Europe, which refuses eco-
nomic the privilege of having a voice in
public affairs. No, I am a Liberal of the
English school. I believe that that school
which has all along claimed that it is the
privilege of all subjects, whether high or low
whether rich or poor, whether ecclesiastic
or layman, to participate in the adminis-
tration of public affairs, to discuss, to influ-
ence, to persuade, to convince, but which
has always denied, even to the highest, the
right to dictate even to the lowest. I am
here representing not Roman Catholics alone,
but Protestants as well, and I must give an
account of my stewardship to all classes.
Here am I, a Roman Catholic of French ex-
traction, entrusted with the confidence of
the men who sit around me, with great and
important duties under our constitutional
system of government. I am here, the ac-
knowledged leader of that great party, com-
posed of Roman Catholics and Protestants
as well, in which Protestants must be in the
majority, as in every party. Am I to be
told—, occupying such a position—that I
am to be dictated to as to the course I am

to take in this House by reasons that can
appeal to the consciences of my fellow-Cath-
olic members, but which do not appeal as
well to the consciences of my Protestant col-
leagues?

No! So long as I have a seat in this House,
so long as I occupy the position I do now,
whenever it shall become my duty to take
a stand upon any question whatever, that
stand I will take, not from the point of
view of Roman Catholicism, not from the
point of view of Protestantism, but from a
point of view which appeals to the consciences
of all men, irrespective of their faith: from
the point of view of men who love justice,
freedom and toleration. (Cheers.) And, so
far as this bill is concerned, I have given
you my views. I know, I acknowledge that
there rests in this government the right to
interfere, there is in this parliament the
power to interfere, but that power should
not be exercised until all the facts bearing
upon the case have been investigated and all
the means of conciliation exhausted. Hav-
ing these opinions, I move that the bill be
not now read the second time, but that it
be read the second time this day six
months.

In Brockville, Ont., on March 9th, a man
named Lapointe, while crossing with liquor
fatally wounded a man named Boyd and
Chief of Police Rose. He also wounded six
other men. A number of citizens finally
riddled him with bullets.

Calgary Herald: By private advices re-
ceived from Ottawa we are able to announce
that the confederate of Southern Alberta have
been finally determined by the government
and the members interested. They are to
be as follows: On the east, from the inter-
national boundary line following the 4th
initial meridian north to the line between
townships 34 and 35, thence westerly in a
straight line to British Columbia. On refer-
ence to the map it will be seen that the
eastern boundary just takes in Walsh on the
C. P. R. in the east and that the northern
line crosses the C. & E. at a point four miles
south of Innisfail. It is to be regretted
that the government, when attempting to
construct a representative district out of the
material it had at hand, could not have
seen their way clear to take in Maple Creek
and that portion of Western Assiniboia hav-
ing identity of interests with Southern Al-
berta.

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WHEAT SAX

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Wholesale and Retail Hardware.

When buying your Provisions go to the
FORT SASKATCHEWAN

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Where you will find a complete assort-
ment of First Class Groceries 10 per
cent. cheaper for cash or trade than can
be purchased at any other point in
Northern Alberta.

A full line of Millers' Supplies always on hand.
Blankets, Picks, Shovels, Dippers, Quicksilver,
Lumber for Boats, Shingles, etc. Cash paid for
Gold.

L. MORET.

Fort Saskatchewan, Mar. 2, '06.

RANCH

BEAVER LAKE STOCK RANCH, ROBERT LOGAN
Proprietor. Constantly on hand and for sale
Horses, Cattle and sheep. Prices to suit purchaser.
Also—Seed oats, barley and potatoes.
Cattle brand—"Horseshoe" on rump.
Cattle brand—"H. L." on left thigh.

BLACKSMITHING

GEO. P. SANDERSON, GENERAL BLACKSMITH
HORSESHOING A SPECIALTY. FIFTH STREET.

Building Stone!

Tenders will be received at my office up to noon
on Friday 10th inst., for the supply of about 30
cords of stone suitable for foundation.

F. A. OSBORNE,
Office and lumber yard: Queen St., one
block west of Fire Hall.

Railway Bridge

We want it, and we are bound to get
it if we keep up with the times by
getting our Haircutting and Shaving
done at Foster's, and also smoking his
Perfect Cigars.

PEOPLES
CIGAR
LACE.

R. FOSTER,
Opp. Larue & Fild's.

Creamery for Sale.

The entire building, machinery, plant and all
apparatus of the Edmonton Butter and Cheese
Manufacturing Association is for sale. The prin-
cipal building near Edmonton was erected last
spring. The building at Poplar Lake is three years
old. The machinery, which is complete, was pur-
chased chiefly from J. S. Pearce & Co. The central
building is situated in the centre of the Edmonton
district, the finest dairying district in Canada.
Especially favorable terms will be given to a buyer
who will agree to operate the Creamery upon terms
favorable to the patrons. For further particulars
apply to

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Adelaide, Edmonton, N. W. T.

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YOUR MONEY, and last but not least you are sup-
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EDMONTON ALBERTA.

LACOMBE LINKS.

There was a fairly good turnout at the congregational meeting held at St. Andrews Presbyterian church on Wednesday evening of last week, at which the Rev. D. G. McQueen, presided.

Frank Foreman is erecting a frame dwelling just on the limits of the town site west of the Presbyterian church.

The Rev. Mr. Goodman will preach in the Methodist church on Sunday, March 16th. Service commencing at 3:15 p.m.

The Rev. John Fernie and G. A. Reid returned home from Calgary today.

Mr. Clink informs us that they will have by the close of this month some \$7,000 or \$8,000 worth of lumber at the mill and in their yards here in town.

D. L. Clink, agent at Bear's Hill reserve, has been hit after lawbreakers who have been selling whiskey on the reserve. Five have been fined already, and there are others he is wanting, some of whom we are told have disappeared.

The Rev. Mr. Chegwain gave a very successful entertainment at Turville school house last evening, with his magic lantern.

F. Bredin who has been at the Mountain House trading this winter, came in yesterday for supplies.

The mild weather is taking the snow very fast the last day or two.

Feb. 23.—At Lamection, the wife of J. W. Johnson (formerly merchant of this town) of a daughter.

March 4.—The wife of A. H. McKay of a son.

Mr. McKay resides about five miles northeast of Lacombe.

March 12th, '96.

ATHABASCA LANDING.

The Rev. H. Robinson, of the Church of England mission on the Upper Peace River, left the Athabasca Landing Wednesday, Feb. 26th, with one horse and sleigh and one team of dogs hauling seed grain for the mission farm, accompanied by Willie Brown of the Landing. He had already despatched two teams of dogs with seed grain to lake. They reached the mouth of Slave lake Tuesday, March 3rd, (their actual travelling days being five from here), accompanied by an Indian. Mr. Robinson started with the horses he had left there, three horse sleighs and two dog teams, for Lesser Slave lake post. Willie Brown reports them as having made a good start and Mr. Robinson writes that he hoped to reach St. Peter's mission for Sunday, March 8th.

Athabasca Landing, March 10.

CRUELTY TO ANIMALS.

EDITOR BULLETIN:
Sir: I think it is high time that something should be done for the protection of horses in the municipality of Edmonton. The practice, which is and has been very common in our midst: that of leaving horses tied for hours together exposed to the worst of our winter weather, often unblanketed, should be put down. It is not an uncommon thing for the poor animals to be left thus for a whole night, while their owners are enjoying themselves utterly careless and forgetful of their sufferings.

What I would suggest is that a by-law be framed after the manner of some such laws practiced in some parts of the States, such as to give the town constable authority to take horses left in the manner described to some livery stable and that the owner should not be allowed to recover his animal or animals until the livery charges had been paid plus \$1.00 to be also collected by the livery-keeper and handed by him to the constable who in turn should file it over to the town clerk. A few cases of such penalty imposed would, I think, tend to mitigate this evil and cruel practice.

In this matter I am sure I shall receive the hearty support of all lovers of animals.

Yours truly,
HUMANITE.

GENERAL NEWS.

The British authorities have refused to reopen the case of Mrs. Maybrick.

The Toronto Star (independent conservative) comes out strongly in support of Laurier's position on the school question.

Winnipeg Tribune despatch, from Toronto, March 10: The second settlers train of the season left at noon to-day bound for Manitoba and the Northwest. There were probably 150 intending settlers, including families, on board. It took several colonist cars to hold them and their personal effects. Most of them going out intend to take up land and settle right down. These took with them their live stock and a supply of farming implements. The live stock follows in a special train to-night.

Free Press Ottawa correspondence: Of the Manitoba and Northwest members only three will vote against the remedial bill as far as can be ascertained, viz., Davin, Martin, and McDonald. Ross is not disposed to support federal interference with Manitoba and may record his vote against it. Boyd may vote for the second reading, in order to save the government from defeat, but in the meantime he is saying nothing, but is doing some hard work, in the hope of having the sunny days of peace adopted. Daly and LaRiviere, will, of course, support the government. McDowall and Davis will also support the government, though the latter does not do so of his own intentions. It is understood that he will retire from active politics. Boyd will run in McDonald if he gets the nomination, which he likely will. McDonald will also ask for the suffrages of the electors of Eastern Assiniboia once more.

THE BILL.

Tribune Ottawa despatch of March 9: In the house to-day Sir Charles Tupper said: "Mr. Speaker, I desire to make the following statement to the house. Since answering the question asked a few days ago by the member for North Simcoe (Mr. McCarthy), the following telegram has been received by Sir Donald Smith:

Winnipeg, March 2, 1896.—Your telegram has received most careful consideration of myself and colleagues. While fully appreciating all you say, it is quite clear, to us that we can only proceed to Ottawa for the purpose of holding a conference upon the official invitation of the Dominion government. I fully appreciate your very kind offices in this matter.

(Signed) GREENWAY.
"In view of the assurance that the government of Manitoba is willing to have a conference, the government propose, so soon as the second reading of the remedial bill is carried, to have a conference with Mr. Greenway's government, with a view to arrive at a settlement of this question on terms that will be satisfactory to his government and the minority of Manitoba, but in the meantime to proceed with the question before the house, de die in diem, as previously arranged."

The Tribune has the following to say to the situation in Winnipeg in regard to the above: A member high in the councils of the party pointed out that the private telegram to Sir Donald does not mean anything, nor does it mean any new position. Sir Donald's proper course was certainly to get the Dominion government to send an invitation if they felt so inclined, but all the rules of honor forbade him making the telegram public. The local government do not for a minute consider Sir Charles Tupper's statement in the house an invitation, and therefore everything will just move along as before. The Ottawa government, to get out of the difficulty, try to create and re-create the impression that the Greenway government are all the time trembling on the verge of backing down, while nothing is further from their thoughts. It is pointed out that Hon. Messrs. Greenway and Sifton were once in Ottawa and came away again without having yielded, and it is more than likely that the same result will follow any further visit. While Sir Donald "gave away" all that there was to be given away and put the local government into a false position, still the telegram really does not indicate anything that has not been known before. This does not exculpate Sir Donald from having betrayed the confidence placed in him. It was reported about the house this morning that a full statement would be made to the house this afternoon, but none of the ministers would give the least color to the report.

FOR SALE.

South Side Indian Reserve.

Southeast quarter Section 19, Tp. 51, Range 24, House 15 x 30, frame and log, story and a half high, shingled roof, 10 acres broken, part of the sale on the ground for fencing, 50 acres on farm clear land, situated on White Horse Creek. Plenty of timber for fencing and firewood.

Also other improved farms for sale. Apply to
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Farmers and others in want of Farm Machinery will find it to their advantage to attend the great sale of Agricultural Implements at

HUTTON'S WAREHOUSE

—ON—

Wed'y, March 18,

at one o'clock p.m.

Comprising 1 Bala Wagon, 1 Cultivator, 1 Disc Harrow, 1 14in. Plough, 1 14in. Plough, 1 Set Iron Harrow, 1 Combined Plough, 1 Set Iron Harrow, 1 14in. Plough, 1 Van Burel Seeder, 1 Top Sifter.

TERMS CASH.

W. S. ROBERTSON, Deputy Sheriff.

AUCTION SALE!

The following Machinery and Live Stock will also be sold at the same time and place by instructions from T. A. Stephen, assignee for the estates of George Hutton and Isaac H. Hubbard: One Self Binder, 2 Double Sulky Ploughs, 1 Seed Drill, 1 Shaw Cutter, 1 Tank, 1 Hay Fork, 2 Breaking Ploughs, 1 Spring Tooth Harrow, 1 Iron Tooth Harrow, 1 Set Sifters, 1 Set Sifters, 6 Horses and Working Harnes, 1 Fanning Mill, 1 Gurney Scale, and other Agricultural Implements.

TERMS CASH.

W. S. ROBERTSON,
AUCTIONEER.

Canadian Pacific RAILWAY.

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Red Fyfe Wheat

For Seed purposes which we will sell at the lowest possible price. We expect this wheat to arrive in a few days, when notice will be given.

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W. R. HOWEY'S

Beef, Pork, Mutton, Turkeys,

etc., Sausage, Spare Ribs,

Pig Feet, Pig Heads, Tenderloin, Tongues, Hearts

and Cured Meats,

CHEAP FOR CASH.

Garipey & Chenier,

GENERAL MERCHANTS

Groceries, Provisions, Boots

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JAS. DINNER, Proprietor.

NOTICE.

North-West Territories,
District of Alberta,

To Wit:

LAND TITLES ACT, 1904.

In the matter of that certain registered mortgage made by Samuel Cunningham to the Manitoba Mortgage Investment Company, Limited, on the lands and premises therein described.

Pursuant to the order of the Honorable Mr. Justice Rouleau made herein on the 4th day of March, 1906, notice is hereby given that the following lands are hereby offered for sale, viz:

1. Lot number two of the Settlement of St. Albert, 168 acres, more or less.

2. The most southerly 15 chains of the fractional Northeast Quarter of Section 34, Township 53, Range 20, west of the Fourth Meridian, 60 acres, more or less.

3. Lot "A" of the Settlement of St. Albert, 212 acres, more or less, except 10 acres, more or less, off the Northeastern portion.

Notice is further given that Wednesday, the 13th day of May, 1906, is the date fixed by the said order, on or after which the Mortgagees may make application for and obtain an absolute order for foreclosure of all the estate, right, title, interest and equity of redemption of the Mortgagor, of, in and to the said lands, or any part thereof, pursuant to the provisions of Section 78 of the Land Titles Act, 1904.

For terms and particulars apply to the undersigned.

Dated at Edmonton this 6th day of March, 1906.

BECK & EMERY,
Advocates for the Mortgagees.



Best Fresh Beef

AT VANCE'S

VENISON, ELEPHANT

STEAK,

AND

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Cedar Sash and Doors, Mouldings, Casings, etc. Window and Door Frames made to order. Also all kinds of Turned Work. Kannabekis Lumber for sale. A carload to arrive next week.

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Watches, Clocks and Jewelry repaired and guaranteed.

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Sale of Lands

In the Municipality of the

Town of Edmonton for

Arrears of Taxes.

NOTICE is hereby given that certain lands in the Municipality of the Town of Edmonton will be offered for sale for arrears of taxes on the 24th day of March, 1906, at 10 a.m. o'clock in the Town Hall, Edmonton.

A full list of said lands to be sold will be found in the Edmonton Bulletin of the 27th January, 3-4, 10th and 17th February, 1906.

G. R. F. KIRKPATRICK,
Treasurer Municipality of the Town of Edmonton.

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Cash Discount of 10 per cent.

I have a very large stock of

WATCHES, CLOCKS,

JEWELRY & SILVERWARE

In fact everything a first class jewelry store should keep, and can sell for cash in 1906.

All kinds of Watches repaired.

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BEST AND CHEAPEST

ALSO . . .

Jumpers

Strong, servicable and stylish, at lowest prices ever offered in the district.

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All repairs made free first season, except breakages occurring through carelessness.

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UPPER FERRY.

EDMONTON DYE WORKS

—Pirchner & Mayerhofer—

PROPRIETORS.

Near Electr Light Works.

All orders promptly attended to and first-class work guaranteed.

WANTED.—A man for every uncom-

mon territory and British Columbia to represent our hardy Canadian grown Nursery stock and new seed potatoes. Liberal inducements to whole or part time men. Experienced salesmen will find this offer a good one. Implements, agents, farmers, farmers' sons, chessmakers and school teachers will do well to look into this. Men devoting but part of their time to it will do well with us. Stock especially grown for the Western season. Send postal to Toronto, Ontario, for particulars.

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Prop's of "Fonthill" Nurseries.

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PORT SASKATCHEWAN.

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A PRACTICAL BRICKMAKER would receive an opening order if he started a Brickyard here as soon as frost is out of the ground.

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The following articles can be found at our meat market: Poultry of all kinds, Pork Sausages, Hams, Spiced Holi, Breakfast Bacon, Lard, Chop Suet, Corned Beef, Head Cheese, and Tripe, at a very low cash price. Highest cash prices paid for Hides and Poultry of any kind.

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For money or its equivalent.

W. Humberstone.

TELEPHONE.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Alberta—Camille David, Duhamel; F. H. Andrews, town; Major Griebach, Mr. Lambert, Imp. and Mrs. Howard, Fort Saskatchewan; Wm. Yates, Toronto; J. M. Brown, Brandon; Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Blewett, White Whale lake.

Queen's—Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Rudd, Fort Saskatchewan; P. McFarlan, St. Albert; J. H. Smith, Regina; J. M. Drumgoole, London; J. Hawke, Winnipeg; S. L. Smith, Calgary.

Jasper—A. H. Grieron, Calgary; W. F. Smith, Athabasca Landing; F. S. Glover, C. F. Stewart, Rev. Mr. Vetter, Fort Saskatchewan; W. McLeod, Athabasca; A. Morrison, St. Roch.

CARNIVAL.

A skating carnival was held on the Shamrock rink, South Edmonton, on Friday evening. The weather had been so warm that it was doubtful for some time previous whether the ice would be good enough. Notwithstanding there was a good attendance of both makers and spectators. The ice was not in condition until after nine o'clock but stood the wear very well all things considered. The South Edmonton brass band was in attendance and enlivened the affair greatly with their good music. The following is a fairly complete list of the costumes and prize winners:

Daisy Moen, Belle of the city.
Ellen McCartney, Grandmother.
Gertie Badden, Red Riding Hood.
Hattie Oliver, Japanese ladies.
Dora Oliver, Japanese ladies.
Miss Moen, Queen of roses.
Aggie Kettles, Snowflake.
Edith Pettipiece, Cream of News of the world.

Emma Knapp, Starry night.
Miss Alpaugh, Nurse.
Miss Lendrum, Negress.
Miss Vanmeter, Landress.
O. C. Peterson, French officer.
A. Richards, Bushwhacker.
W. A. Sharpe, Imp. and White.
H. I. Mackinson, Cook.
Norman Shields, French Coachman.
Little Billy Peters, Statue of living beauty.
Fred Richards, New Woman.
Ed. Jackson, Uncle Sam.
Arthur Gainer, Negro.
Gordon Knowlton, Trump.
Durrand & Alpaugh, Negro couple.
Morry Pettipiece, Chinaman.
J. Stafford, Red carrier.
W. Pettipiece, Cy. Perkins.
S. Durdle, Buffalo Bill.
G. Durrand, Indian.
J. McIntyre, Indian.
J. McKernan, Shepherd.
H. Pettipiece, Negro Clam Seller.
G. Durrand, Irishman.
J. McCrae, Negro.
N. Clark, Negro Girl.
P. Clark, Coming Woman.
J. McDougall, Beef eater.
A. Moen, Trump.
C. Hebert, Clown.
N. Hillier, Ritchie's mill.
T. Roholt, High toned negro.
H. Sandiman, Western farmer.
C. Roholt, Clown.
H. Camaron, French Count.
J. Beckett, Marshall's Tea.
Ed. Devlin, Edmonton Fire Brigade.
Prizes were awarded as follows:
Best lady's costume, Miss Amanda Moen, Queen of roses.
Best costume, girl under 14, Miss Hattie Oliver.
Lady's costume, comic, Miss S. Lendrum, Negress.
Best gentlemen's costume, O. C. Peterson, French officer.
Best boy's costume, John McDougall, Beef eater.
Gentleman's costume, comic, Indian.

AUDITOR'S REPORT. 1895.

To the Mayor and Council of the Town of Edmonton.

GENTLEMEN: In accordance with our duties as auditors duly appointed by you we beg to report as follows:

We have examined the books of the municipality, of the treasurer and collector, and compared the same with the vouchers and receipts and find them correct.

The books of the municipality kept by the town clerk appear to be kept in excellent order. The only suggestion we have to make in regard to them is that in some entries such as rebates, cross entries, etc., a fuller explanation might be given in the journal, it being the book of original entry.

The treasurer's cash book was also found correct and well kept, but a similar remark (as above) might be made as to the entries of payments, as it would not be much more trouble to insert the name of the payee in addition to the number of the cheque, also the number of the notes received or dis-counted, which would make the account more intelligible.

The collector's books in the early part of the year do not appear to have been kept in any definite system, but as a good system was inaugurated with the 1895 roll and appears to be working satisfactorily no trouble need be anticipated on that account.

There were some discrepancies in the marking off the 1894 collector's roll to which we had to refer in order to check receipts in 1895 to investigate which thoroughly, it would be necessary to go through the roll of 1892, '93, and '94, but as the average amount of these discrepancies as far as we went was small, we did not think it proper to do this without further instructions from your honorable body.

There is also an amount of \$110.14 due by the collector on account of 1894 taxes (or arrears) which is unable to explain. The aforesaid investigation might possibly throw some light on this.

Sinking funds. We have looked carefully into these and find them in a satisfactory condition. Except that the greater part of the amount being yet in the savings bank and consequently is only drawing 3 1/2 per cent. interest, whereas the basis of calculation was 5 per cent. We think something should, if possible, be done to improve it in this respect.

PAY CHECKS. Out of an amount of \$5.50 uncollected for pay checks reported in audit of 1894 \$4.50 has been paid leaving \$1.00 in the hands of the treasurer.

Relative to the work in checking the accounts we have to thank all the officials concerned for courtesy extended.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

W. J. RICHARDSON, Auditor.

WM. STEPHEN, Manager.

LOCAL.

SEAR public school district No. 407 has been gazetted. The first trustees are: A. O'ann, K. J. Bjorkgren, and J. Ekstrom. The district comprises: sections 31, 32, 33 and 34 in township 43 range 22, section 33 in township 43 range 23, sections 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 15, 16, 17 and 18 in township 44, range 22, and sections 1, 12 and 13 in township 44 range 23, all west of the fourth meridian.

BATTLE LAKE public school district No. 105 has been gazetted. The first trustees are: M. Kimberson, J. O. Finson and R. Larson. The boundaries are as follows: Commencing at a point where the south line of section 2 township 44 range 23 intersects with the shore line of Battle lake, thence east on said line to the southeast corner of said section, thence north on section line to where said line intersects with the water course of Battle River, thence following the water-course of said river and the north shore of Battle Lake to place of beginning, all west of the fourth meridian.

MILTON public school district No. 104 has been gazetted with Wm. Taylor, John Green and O. Burrows the first trustees. The district comprises the west half of section 1, section 2, the north halves of sections 3 and 4, the southeast quarter of section 3, the east half of section 7, sections 8, 9, 10, 11, the west half of section 12, the west half and northeast quarter of section 13 sections 14, 15, 16, 17, the southeast quarter of sections 18 sections 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 32, and the south halves of sections 33 and 34 in township 41 range 26, all west of the fourth meridian.

Dux Skandinavisk Canadiensaren for February is to hand. It is the monthly newspaper of the Scandinavian people in Western Canada, and is published in Winnipeg by John E. Forslund, who has visited Edmonton a number of times in the interests of immigration. The number contains letters from Leduc and Wetaskiwin and an article on Alberta, besides letters and comments from other localities of Swedish settlement throughout the west. It also contains a cut of the Edmonton general hospital.

A STATEMENT of the amount of money received by the several agricultural societies of the North-West has been made in the House of Commons. It appears that Edmonton received \$123.56 on a membership of 58, South Edmonton received \$250 on a membership of 195, Fort Saskatchewan received \$137.44 on a membership of 88, Lacombe received \$105.90 on a membership of 92, Red Deer received \$171.88 on a membership of 70, Innisfail \$187.62 on a membership of 74. Grants were paid to 39 agricultural societies in the North-West in all.

BEAVER LAKE (EAST).

A meeting of the settlers was held at Mr. Fane's on Tuesday, March 7th, to discuss local improvements and the provincial autonomy question. Messrs. F. Fraser, Tims, M. L. A., J. F. Forbes and F. Marriaggi, of Fort Saskatchewan, were present.

F. W. Fane was appointed chairman, and stated the object of the meeting. He then called upon Mr. Tims who gave satisfactory reasons why the east side had not been granted money for local improvements in 1895. He stated that a sum would be given for that purpose this year. The question was, "What is required by the people?"

Mr. Moody stated that the settlers would prefer to be aided in exterminating the gophers, which were a serious pest in this district. After the matter had been discussed by Messrs. G. M. Steele, Henry Dely and others a motion was put and carried requesting Mr. Tims to purchase gopher traps and poison for the use of the settlers; the same to be given out according to area under cultivation.

Mr. Marriaggi was then called upon to explain the matter of autonomy for Alberta, which he did to the best of his ability, repeating the reasons already given at other meetings. Mr. Forbes and Mr. Tims also spoke in favor of provincial autonomy. Things seemed to be going along finely, and Mr. Tims and his associates felt apparently that they had only to produce their petitions to secure a new batch of signatures. If they had such thoughts, they were soon dispelled, for Messrs. G. M. Steele, Allen Proctor, F. W. Fane, A. C. Moody and H. S. Stirling in eloquent addresses showed conclusively that, though residing sixty-five miles from Edmonton, the Beaver-lakers are reading men, and able to give pointers even to the creditors and would-be legislators of Fort Saskatchewan. Some very plain talking was indulged in, but all in good part, and the meeting broke up after votes of thanks to the visiting gentlemen and the chairman. Mr. Tims read the autonomy petition to the assembled settlers, but the signing of it is indefinitely postponed.

I have to chronicle another birthday party. This time it was in honor of Miss Hattie McCullum, teacher, of Tofted district, and came off at Mr. Angus McCullum's on the 7th inst. Quite a number of young folks were present, and passed a very pleasant time with games, songs, etc.

March 8th, 1896.

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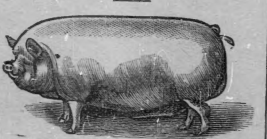
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LOST. One black mare branded 34 on left shoulder O on left hip, weighs about 1,000 pounds. Suitable reward will be given for information leading to her recovery. GEORGE VEREY, Edmonton. 97-102

STRAYED

STRAYED. Came to my place in June last a black yearling bull, no brand. JOHN CARNEGIE, 34-39 Sec. 26, Tp. 64, Rr. 24, Edmonton P. O.

STRAYED. Came to the premises of the subscriber about Nov. 1st, a white steer, two years old, one horn drops a little. No brand. ROBERT CRUMMER, 35-40 Sec. 16, Tp. 63, Range 22, Aitich P. O.

EDMONTON RIFLE ASSOCIATION. Annual meeting on Wednesday, March 13th, at 7:30 p. m. in Turnbull & McAdam's Auction Mart. All Mutual Rifle rifles in the hands of members of the association must be returned for inspection immediately. J. R. TURNBULL, Secretary. 39-40

LOST. From R. Chisholm's ranch, St. Albert road, about two weeks ago one span of horses—a dappled grey horse weighing about 1,200 pounds, branded "S" on left side of jaw, and a bay horse, weighing about 1,200 pounds, branded "S" on left jaw. Forelock clipped off both. Last seen near W. Fielden's, on Cover Bar trail. Suitable reward will be given for information as to their whereabouts. 39-44 R. CHISHOLM, St. Albert P. O.

NOTICE. The Talent Workers of the Presbyterian church, Edmonton, are prepared to do sewing and mending of all kinds. Also fancy work of all kinds. Orders may be left with MRS. FRED ROSS, Coanear. 38-45

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